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FM CIA WASHDC

TO RUCSBR/SAC OFFUTT AFB, OMAHA, NEB

RUCVAB/4080 STRAT WG, OL 19, BARKSDALE AFB, LA

16 OCT 1963

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RUECYG/NAVY PIC

RUWBKG/15TH AF, MARCH AFB, RIVERSIDE, CALIF

RUWGAA/2D RTS, BARKSDALE AFB, LA

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15TH AF (FOR DI); SAC (FOR DIM, BRASS KNOB, DOCR, DM 4) 2D AF
(FOR DI). FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

1. CAMERA B 11 WAS USED IN MISSION 3749 FLOWN ON 13 OCTOBER
1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY NAVY PIC.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. THE EXPOSURE IS ADEQUATE, THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD.

B. 9R SIDE: ALL POSITION INDICATOR LIGHTS WERE INOPERATIVE
EXCEPT FOR 3R, 1R AND 3L. THE LATTER WERE VERY FAINT. PLUS DENSITY
DOTS CAUSED BY STATIC ARE PRESENT INTERMITTENTLY FROM FRAME
001 TO 795.

C. 9L SIDE: MINUS DENSITY DOTS 1.55" APART AND PARALLEL TO
THE MAJOR AXIS OCCUR 0.5", 5.5" AND 5.7" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE

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CFC ☒
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ACT ☒
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FROM FRAME 005 TO 133. THE SAME TYPE OF DOTS APPEAR 2.5" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE FROM FRAME 0055 TO 138. PLUS DENSITY STREAKS ARE PRESENT IN THE FIRST 800 FRAMES. ALL THE POSITION INDICATOR LIGHTS ARE INOPERATIVE THROUGHOUT THE MISSION.

D. BOTH SIDES: A MINUS DENSITY STREAK OCCURS INTERMITTENTLY 0.1" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE OF EACH SIDE. THERE IS ALSO INTERMITTENT EDGE FOG ALONG THE INBOARD EDGE OF EACH SIDE THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THE LAST TITLED FRAME ON EACH SIDE IS 2489.

E. THERE WERE NO MAJOR CAMERA OR PROCESSING MALFUNCTIONS OTHER THAN MENTIONED ABOVE.

3. POSITIVE:

A. PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD.

B. PRINTING AND PROCESSING OF THE POSITIVE IS GOOD.

C. CLOUDS AND HAZE DEGRADED OR OBSCURED 35 PER CENT OF THE MISSION. SCP-1

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END OF MESSAGE

(ABOVE MESSAGE ALSO PASSED TO CIA WATCH (CGS)

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